

urgent Low
Hemlock 8-2451
Beaver, Utah

Beaver

Beaver, Utah
October 13, 1961

Mr. Donald C. Norseth, Distribution Engineer
Office of Utah State Engineer
State Capitol
Salt Lake City, Utah

Re: BEAVER RIVER
Hi-Low Corporation
Cert. of App. #5446

Dear Mr. Norseth:

Reference is made to our letter to you under date of 10/6,
and to your letter under date of October 9th.

Please be advised that Hi-Low Lake, which is the subject
lake of this correspondence, has been drained down to an estimated
5 acre feet, and the leak has been located. We began draining the
lake Wednesday morning, October 11th, and the gate has been shut
off as of noon today.

I enclose a rough sketch of the lake that shows where our
trouble is located, and our tentative proposal to remedy it. We
felt it advisable to submit this to you for your approval before
undertaking any repairs.

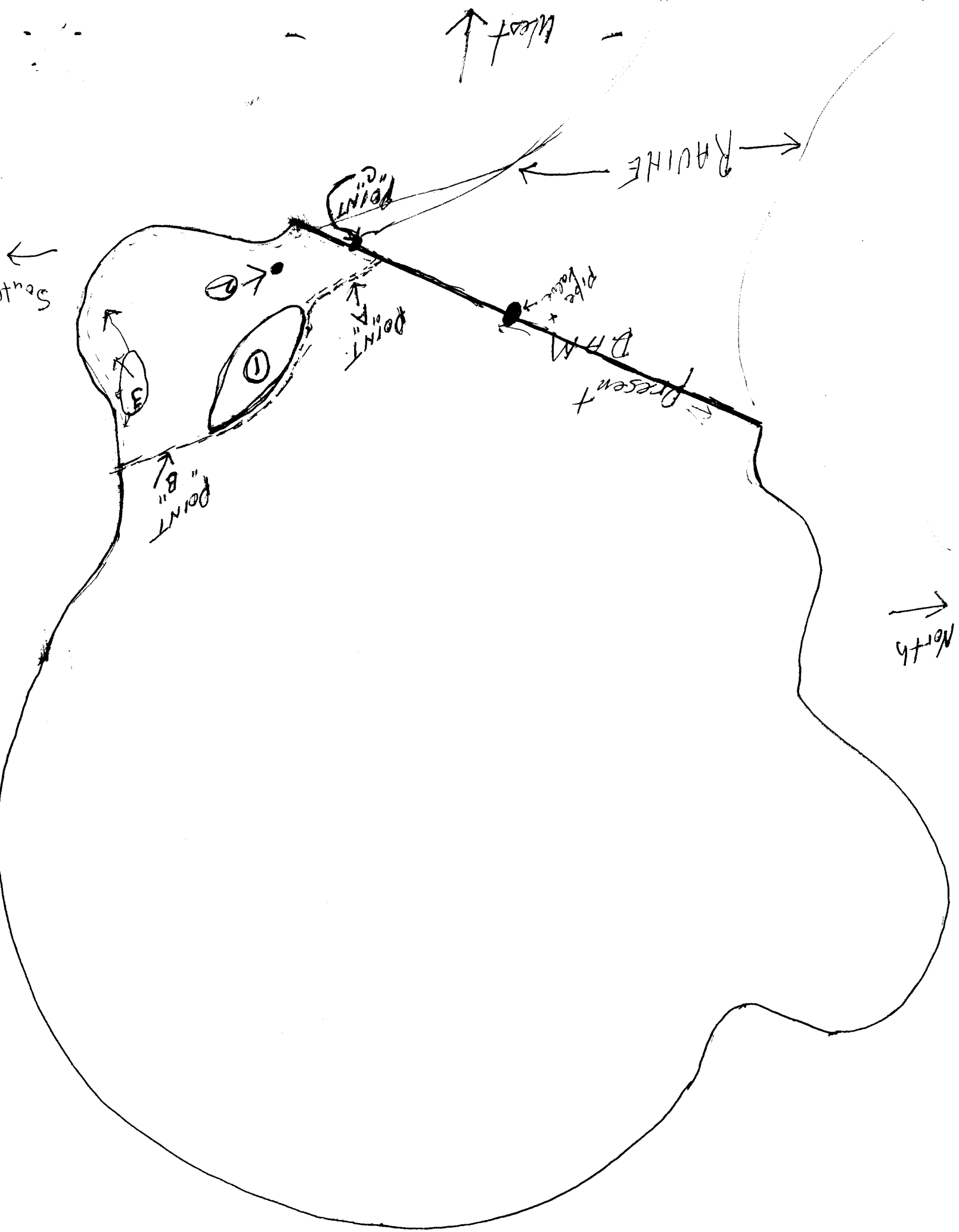
Please refer to the sketch. Figure (2) shows the point where
the leak originates in a crevice, and point "C" shows where it comes
to the surface below the dam. The "leak" is a hole between 2 huge
flat rocks that is about 6" X 18" at its opening.

To correct this situation, we propose the following tentatively:
Figure (1) represents a small island that lies approximately midway
between the dam at point "A" and the lake shore at point "B". All
of the lake area lying south of the dotted line (points A & B) was
made from excavation of fill used for the dam. The bottom of the lake
in this area is approximately 4' higher than the lake bottom in front
of the dam. The island is approximately 4' above the water line
when the lake is full. The water in this area is only approximately
2 or 3 feet deep when the lake is full. It appears that the simplest
and most efficient way of stopping this leak is to bulldoze dirt from
this area south of the red line, and build a dyke from the dam to
the island at point "A", then from the island to the lake shore at
point "B". This will then keep the water entirely away from the leak
area, as well as from that point in the dam that the water was going
under. This would require only approximately 40 feet of fill, 5'
high. Figure (3) incidentally is where we expected to find the leak.

Will you please evaluate this information and advise if this
procedure will be satisfactory. Also, how long do we have to make
the repair and refill the lake.

Yours very truly,
HI-LOW CORPORATION

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August 25, 1961

Deane R. Lynter

Mr. Walter Mackerell
Beaver City, Utah

Dear Mr. Mackerell:

This will acknowledge your correspondence of
August 17, 1961.

Your letter does not give sufficient details for
us to clearly analyze what change is being made by Beaver
City and what our position in this matter might be. It
would appear from your letter that Beaver City is leasing
water to other irrigators within their corporate boundaries.
We do not regulate within any water system in your area but
only regulate diversions from the Beaver River.

If you would care to forward us additional facts and
details, we could then analyze this matter in its entirety
and advise you further.

Yours very truly,

Donald C. Norseth
DISTRIBUTION ENGINEER

DCN/vh

CC: Mr. Cloyce Leland Strong
P. O. Box 165
Beaver, Utah

Beaver City, Utah

Aug 17, 1961

Mr. Criddle
State Engineer
Salt Lake City, Utah

Dear Sir:

As a citizen of Beaver City I am writing a protest against the changing of part of the water decreed to Beaver City.

The 16.2 second feet as decreed in award No. 11, Beaver River Decree, belongs to Beaver City. In drouth conditions such as Beaver is now experiencing at the present time, Beaver City does not have sufficient water to meet her needs and can not allow any part of this portion to be used any other place.

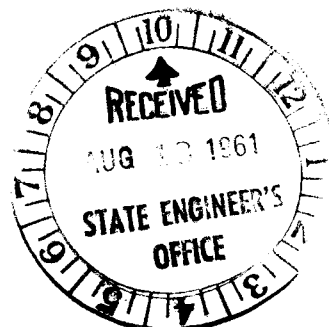
As a former water commissioner, I know conditions here in the valley and I certainly do not agree with the way the water is being handled by the City Mayor and Councilmen. Beaver City's water is distributed in 22 ditches, one of them was allotted to the Beaver City Cemetery. Now a sprinkling system has been installed. This stream is leased to farmers outside of Beaver City limits. Shouldn't this water be divided into 21 streams so that all of Beaver City could use their small portion.

If this change of diversion is granted, Beaver City will be losing 1.38 C.F.S. which leaves only 14.83 C.F.S. for Beaver. Could you do something for this situation?

Sincerely

Walter MacKinnell

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*W.A.C.
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MEMORANDUM:

DATE: July 25, 1961

TO: Earl Staker

FROM: Dee Hansen

SUBJECT: Beaver Dam Wash

Re: Beaver Dam Wash

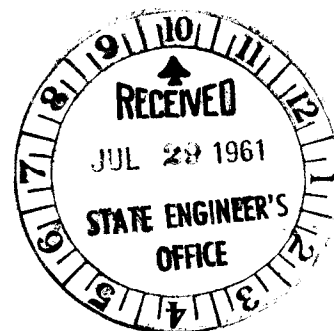
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I also informed Mr. Leavitt that unless the amount of water changed to some extent that we would not return. He agreed and said that if such a change should take place he would notify us.

c.c. Hubert C. Lambert
Deputy State Engineer

Donald C. Norseth
Distribution Engineer



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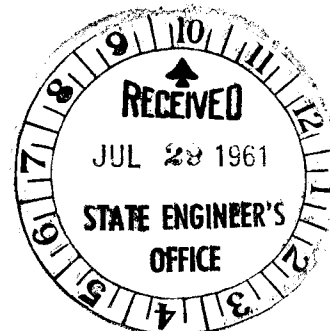
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ORVAL HAFEN
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
51 NORTH MAIN STREET
ST. GEORGE, UTAH
TELEPHONE OR 3-2681

Beaver Dam
Wash

June 24, 1961

Mr. Charles M. Pickett
Attorney at law
St. George, Utah

Dear Mr. Pickett:

Re: Rod Leavitt and Wes Atkin

I have just received a letter from Wes Atkin in which he states that he will not accept the agreement I sent him and that he objects to Rod using a ditch over his land. He says he prefers the 1 cfs of water allotted to him all of the time.

He was much less than appreciative of my efforts to represent him in this matter and wonders why he was not notified and given a chance to be here.

I am today writing Mr. Atkin telling him that I am sure both Rod and the State Engineer will expect him to use no more than one cfs of water, and that they will want him to install wiers as soon as possible.

In view of his displeasure with my services, there is no point in either you or Rod or the State Engineer working through me. Wes says he is as near as the telephone, and I suggest that any further negotiations or questions on this matter be taken up with him directly.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the State Engineer.

I am sorry the agreement was not acceptable to Mr. Atkin as I feel it was a good thing for him, as well as for Rod and it provided a method of working together until something better could be worked out.

Yours truly,

Orval Hafen

CC Wayne D.. Criddle

Don Horrell

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Beaver River Distribution System

Inventory of Water Measuring Devices and Diversion Structures on the River System

Dated: March 28, 1961

By: Commissioner Clarence L. Strong

Donald B. Horvath
Distribution Engineer
Distribution Division
State Engineer's office 16
and
Com C. L. Strong

Commissions

Beaver RIVER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM
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Water User: Name and Address	Ditch or Canal	Present Diversion Structure	Diversion Facilities Recommended	Present Measuring Device	Measuring Facilities Recommended	Special Remarks
Decree #6 Laurence Powell Beaver, Utah	Powell Ditch	Steel Screw-type Headgate	None	Rectangular Weir		
Decree #9 North East Bench and Canal Co. C/O C. E. Paice Beaver, Utah	North East Bench Canal	Wood and Steel Gate---New 1961 Parshall Flume 4 Foot	None	X	None	
Decree #11 Beaver City C/O Martell Easton, Mayor	City System	22 Steel Screw- type Gates. 22 1 ft. Rect. Weirs	None	X	None	
Decree #13 Delvin Smith Beaver, Utah	Smith Ditch	Old Wooden Headgate that cannot be locked.	Steel Screw-type headgate	none	6 Inch Parshall Flume	Has received previous notice.
Decree #14 Blake Smith, Delvin Smith Beaver, Utah	Allred Ditch	Steel Screw-type Gate---Old wooden rectangular weir.	None	X	6 Inch Parshall Fl- ume.	

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River Commissioner

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Decree #15 A. J. Low; Blake Smith; Delvin Smith; R. R. Thomas, Estate Beaver, Utah	Benson Ditch	Steel Screw-type Gate Old Wooden Weir	Gate Needs Repairing	<i>wooden rectangular weir</i>	9 Inch Parshall Flume	
Decree #16 A. J. Low Earl T. Smith Ira Baldwin	Shepherd Ditch	Steel Screw-type Gate; Wooden Rec. Weir		<i>X</i>	1 Inch Parshall Flume	
Decree #18 Northwest Canal Co. C/O John Ashworth Beaver, Utah	Northwest Canal	No headgate needed 3 ft. Parshall Flume	None	<i>X</i>	None	
Decree # West Field and Irrigation Co. C/O Sheldon Roberts Beaver, Utah	West Field Canal	No headgate needed 3 ft. Parshall Flume	None	<i>X</i>	None	
Decree #21 Lindsay Ditch C/O Howard Bradshaw Beaver, Utah	Lindsay Ditch	No headgate needed 2 ft. Parshall Flume	None	<i>X</i>	None	

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Decrees: #23, 24, 25 Blake Smith Delvin Smith Anthony Woodhouse Beaver, Utah	Hutchings Ditch	No Gate and Weir <i>steel screw type headgate</i>	<i>none</i>	Parshall <i>Flume</i>	<i>none</i>	
Decree #26 Blake Smith Beaver, Utah	Private Ditch	Old Wood Gate and Weir	Steel Screw-type Gate	<i>wood. weir.</i>	6 Inch Parshall Flume This gate and flume to be installed, as soon as possible	
Decrees: #27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 South Field Ditch Co. C/O Albert T. Smith, Beaver, Utah	South Field Ditch	Wood and Steel Gate 4 Ft. Parshall Flume	None	<i>1</i>	None	
Decree #34 C. E. Paice; Waldo Yardley Walter Kerkisiek Beaver, Utah	Christiansen Dam Ditch	No Headgate <i>none</i>	<i>screw type</i> Headgate (Screw-type)	<i>none</i>	Parshall Flume	
Decree #39 C/O Wallace Yardley Beaver, Utah	Patterson Ditch	Wood and Steel Gate New 4 Ft. Weir	None	<i>X</i>	None	

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16 Decree #47 C/O W. W. Farrer Beaver, Utah	First Ditch in Bull Berry Slough	No Gate and no Weir <i>none</i>	Screw-type Headgate	<i>none</i>	One Foot Rect. Weir 3 Inch Parshall Flume	
17 Decree #48 C. E. Paise; Frank Smith; Alvin Yardley; Albert Atkins; Beaver, Utah	Second Ditch in Bull Berry Slough	No Gate and No Weir <i>none</i>	<i>Screw type</i> Headgate	<i>none</i>	3 Inch Parshall Flume	
18 Decree #49 C/O W. W. Farrer Beaver, Utah	Third Ditch in Bull Berry Slough	No Gate and No Weir <i>none</i>	Headgate (Screw-type)	<i>none</i>	3 Inch Parshall Flume	
19 Decree #50 Albert T. Smith; James Riley; Frank Smith Beaver, Utah	Fourth Ditch in Bull Berry Slough	No headgate and No Weir <i>none</i>	Screw-type Headgate	<i>none</i>	3 Inch Parshall Flume	
20 Decree #59 C/O Wallace Yardley Beaver, Utah	Blackner and Huntington Ditch	No headgate and No Weir <i>none</i>	None	<i>none</i>	18 Inch Parshall Flume	

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21 Decree #60 South Creek Association C/O Bob Nowers Beaver, Utah	South Creek Channel	8 foot wood and concrete weir <i>none</i>	<i>none</i>	8 foot wood and concrete weir	4 Foot Parshall Flume	
22 Decree #92 G. A. Horton Paul Larson Beaver, Utah	Emerson Ditch	Wooden Gate and No Water	None	<i>none</i>	None	
23 Decree #95 Ralph Stewart Adamsville, Utah; Ray Kessler Beaver, Utah	Hay Ditch	Wooden Headgate No Water	Screw-type Headgate	<i>none</i>	9 Inch Parshall Flume	
24 Decree #32 Waldo Yardley Beaver, Utah <i>X go on 11 (see back page)</i>	Greenwood Ditch	No Headgate <i>none</i> This Water is delivered through Southfield Gate and returned to river then taken out again.	Screw-type Headgate	<i>none</i>	18 Inch Parshall Flume	X
Decree #101 Earl Limb Minersville, Utah	Limb Ditch	No headgate; No weir <i>none</i>	Screw-type steel gate	<i>none</i>	3 Inch Parshall Flume	

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Decree #31 Earnest Joseph, Beaver, Utah; Earl T. Smith, Beaver, Utah; Blake Smith, Beaver, Utah; Ora Hofheins, Beaver, Utah; Robert Christiansen, Beaver, Utah; Mark Woolsey, Beaver, Utah;	Indian Dam Ditch	None	Screw-type Headgate	<i>none</i>	1 Inch Parshall Flume)
Decree #33 Waldo Yardley, Beaver, Utah; Vera Bakes, Beaver, Utah; Albert Atkin, Beaver, Utah; S. Albert Smith, Beaver, Utah; Neil K. Boyter, Beaver, Utah;	Brunson Ditch	No headgate No measuring device <i>none</i>	Screw-type headgate	<i>none</i>	3 Inch Parshall Flume)

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Decree #27 A. J. Low Beaver, Utah	Low Ditch	No headgate; 1 Inch Rect. Weir	Screw-type Steel Gate	<i>none</i>	3 Inch Parshall Flume)
Decree #32 Waldo Yardley, Beaver, Utah; Albert Atkin, Beaver, Utah; S. Albert Smith, Beaver, Utah; Sara Bakes, Beaver, Utah; Ernest Joseph, Beaver, Utah; Neil K. Boyter, 237 S. 200 W., Cedar City, Utah.	Greenwood Ditch	None SEE 1.)
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June 1, 1961

Messrs. Cline, Wilson & Cline
Attorneys at Law
Milford, Utah

Gentlemen:

Re. Beaver River

A hearing concerning the water rights of G. A. Fordham and D. J. Williams was held at Beaver, Utah on April 20, 1961, the waters being from a certain drain referred to in the Beaver River Decree Award No. 108.

Following the hearing this office has made a detailed survey of the area which survey disclosed that neither of the claimants is at present using the water in the manner described in the Beaver River Decree. As a result it will probably be necessary that change applications be filed to correct the award in the Beaver River Decree to fit the facts.

It was hoped that this survey would have been conclusive enough to have settled the question involved in the hearing. However, since it was not conclusive the State Engineer will render a temporary decision prior to further determination of the rights involved. It is felt that since the award in the Beaver River Decree was made to G. A. Fordham that the State Engineer will have to hold that the water in the drain must be delivered unmolested to the G. A. Fordham interests.

This interpretation is subject to the request of either side for further revision and the presenting of more evidence concerning the water rights involved on at least 10 days notice.

Yours very truly,

Robert C. Lambert
DEPUTY STATE ENGINEER

HCL/lc

CC/ Mr. John O. Christiansen
Attorney at Law
Beaver, Utah

Earl Staker
Lee Strong

Don Norseth ✓

May 31, 1961

Mr. Cloyce Leland Strong,
Commissioner, Beaver River
Distribution System
Box 165
Beaver, Utah

Beaver River Dist. System

Dear Mr. Strong:

Several days ago, Mr. Harold Chase of the Surface Water Branch of the U. S. Geological Survey inquired about making rather specific arrangements for the reading of the gage on Rocky Ford Reservoir. The U.S.G.S. has requested that the reservoir gage be read on the last day of each month, regardless of the day of the week. During the months of heavy inflow into the reservoir and heavy discharge from the reservoir, they would like to have an additional reading made about the middle of the month.

In order to make the best use of the facilities and records available through the U.S.G.S., it is requested that you take a reading of the Rocky Ford Reservoir gage on the last day of each month, and that during the months of April, May, June, and July, you make at least one additional reading about the middle of the month.

Very truly yours,

Donald C. Norseth,
Distribution Engineer

DCN:ek

May 15, 1961

Mr. Cloyce Leland Strong,
Commissioner
P. O. Box 165
Beaver, Utah

Dear Lee:

In preparing the orders for the measuring devices on the Beaver River, I find that we still do not have enough information.

I am therefore, delaying further action, until we can get together again.

Will see you soon.

Very truly yours,

Donald C. Norseth,
Distribution Engineer

DCW:ek



THE STATE OF UTAH
OFFICE OF STATE ENGINEER
SALT LAKE CITY

WAYNE D. CRIDDLE
STATE ENGINEER

April 17, 1961

Mr. Stan Oakden
365 East 2nd North
Beaver, Utah

Beaver River File

Dear Mr. Oakden:

To clarify the distribution on Birch Creek which is a tributary of South Creek, a tributary of the Beaver River, the following directives to the water users are made:

IT IS ORDERED that three measuring devices be installed, one at the intake of the lateral feeding the Oakden Reservoir on the flat above the South Creek channel, the second at the point of diversion of the ditch from Birch Creek, and a third as close to the point of confluence between the old Birch Creek channel and South Creek as possible. All three of these measuring devices are to be installed under the direction of the water commissioner for the Beaver River. The first one mentioned to be installed at the cost of Mr. Oakden, the second to be installed at the joint cost of all users and the third to be installed at the cost of the lower users.

It was determined after a field examination that distribution should be made through a new lateral ditch constructed by the water users. The court had formerly ordered the water commissioner to determine whether the Oakden lateral or the old channel of Birch Creek was the more efficient for use in water distribution. Water conditions have been such that the determination since this order, as to this conveyance, has been impossible to make. It is thought that this order should be in force until water of sufficient quantity is available to prove or disprove the feasibility of using the old Birch Creek channel or the lateral. This decision is of an interlocutory nature and subject to change if facts are presented to justify that change. For better distribution of the water IT IS ORDERED that the flow determined for each of the rights involved be computed by adding the flows of each point of the above points where measuring devices have been installed and distributing on a basis of a two-thirds-one-third interest of the total to the respective parties. When the flow has decreased to 0.35 of a second-foot this procedure is no longer necessary and all water will be delivered to Mr. Oakden.

Sincerely,

Hubert C. Lambert
Hubert C. Lambert
ACTING STATE ENGINEER

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cc/ Mr. Bob Newers
Mr. Lee Strong

Lee Strong

SNOW SURVEYS and WATER SUPPLY FORECASTS BEAVER RIVER WATERSHEDS UTAH

as of

APRIL 1, 1961

U. S. DEPARTMENT of AGRICULTURE · SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE and STATE ENGINEER of UTAH

GENERAL OUTLOOK

Above average snowfall during March improved the water outlook for this summer. Streamflow forecasts have been raised 10% to 15% above what was expected a month ago. Although streamflow is expected to be below average, if climatic conditions (principally precipitation and temperature) are near normal during the spring and summer months, the river should produce a third more than last year and twice to three times as much as in 1959.

SNOW COVER

Increase in the snowpack this month was about 130% to 160% of the usual amount for March.

STATE OUTLOOK

Percent of Average Streamflow

- 80 to 100% - East Fork Sevier river, Escalante river and other streams draining from Aquarius Plateau, Parowan Creek, Salina Creek for diversion in Salina area, streams near Tooele.
- 70 to 80% - Cottonwood Creeks near Salt Lake, Beaver river near Beaver, Clear Creek near Sevier, northern tributaries of the Fremont, Ashley Creek and Whiterocks river in the Uintah Basin, Streams near Farmington, Smith's Fork of Bear river.
- 60 to 70% - Logan and Cub rivers in Cache Valley; upper Weber; in the Uintah Basin the Lakefork, Yellowstone and Uinta rivers; in the central section the Cottonwood, Ferron and Muddy Creeks, San Pitch tributaries south of Ephraim; in the south, Coal Creek near Cedar City and the Virgin river.
- 40 to 60% - Bear river above Evanston, Bear Lake Inflow, Blacksmith Fork, Little Bear rivers in Cache Valley, Ogden, lower Weber, Provo, Duchesne, Strawberry, Price, Spanish Fork and American Fork rivers, Utah Lake inflow, streams from Mt. Nebo and near Mt. Pleasant, Sevier river inflow from Kingston to Gunnison, Chalk Creek near Fillmore, Huntington Creek, Parley's Creek near Salt Lake, streams near Moab-Monticello-Blanding.
- 25 to 40% - Bear near Woodruff, Chalk Creek at Coalville, East Canyon Creek near Morgan, Hobbie Creek near Springville.

Report prepared by
GREGORY L. PEARSON
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE
222 S.W. TEMPLE - SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH

STREAMFLOW FORECASTS (1,000 Ac. Ft.)

FORECAST POINT	FORECAST THIS YEAR	FORECAST PERIOD	1943-57 AVERAGE	THIS YEAR AS PERCENT OF AVERAGE
Beaver River near Beaver	18	April-June	22.3	81
Rockyford Reservoir Inflow a	23	April-Sept	29.4	78
	4.5	April-June	9.1	49

RESERVOIR STORAGE (1,000 Ac. Ft.)

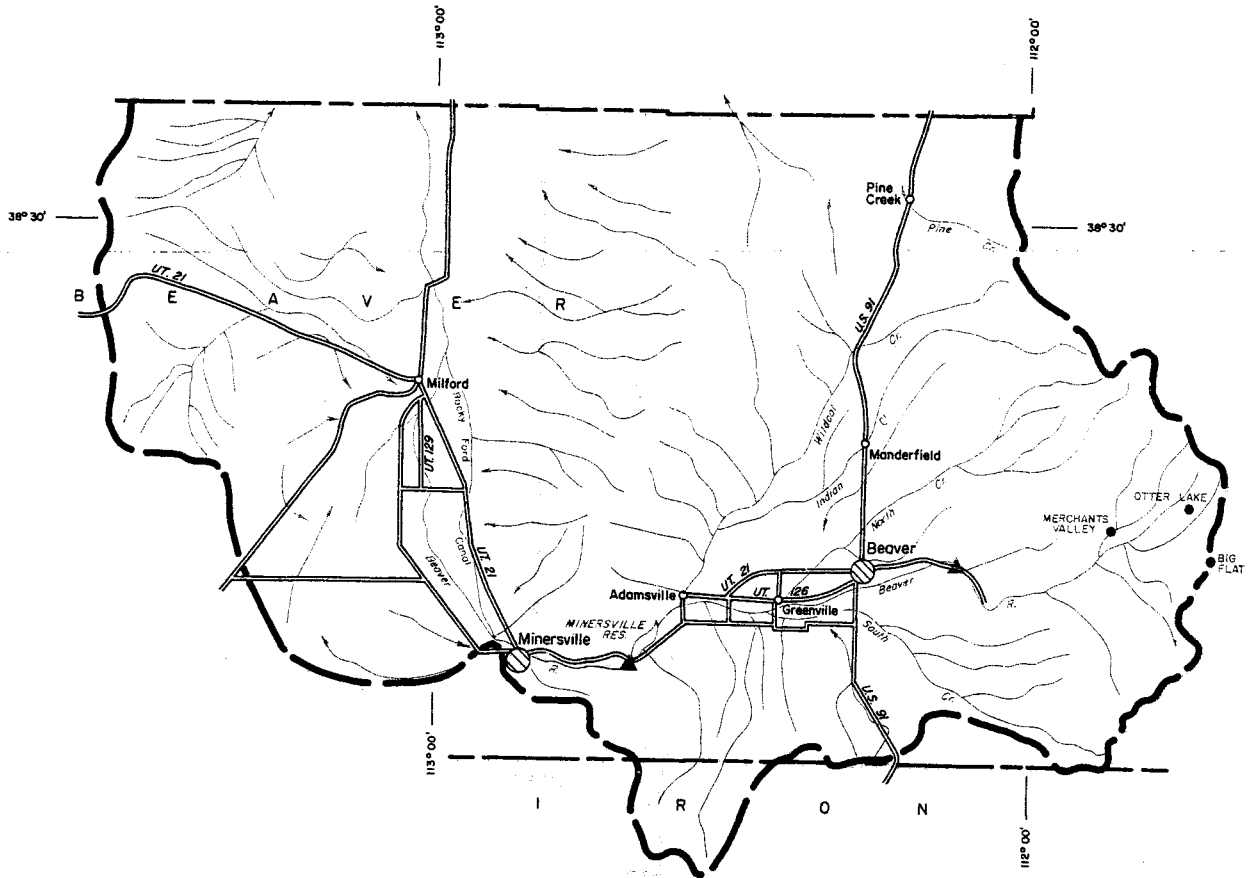
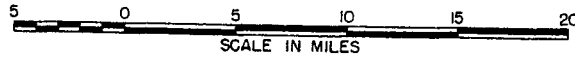
RESERVOIR	USABLE CAPACITY	MEASURED (First of Month)		
		THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	1943-57 AVERAGE
Rocky Ford	23.3	8.0	8.6	17.0

SNOW

SNOW COURSE		CURRENT INFORMATION			PAST RECORD		
		DATE OF SURVEY	SNOW DEPTH (Inches)	WATER CONTENT (Inches)	WATER CONTENT (Inches)		YEARS OF RECORD
NAME	ELEVATION				LAST YEAR	1943-57 AVERAGE	
Big Flat	10000	3/26	68	15.8	16.8	20.0	25
Otter Lake	9300	3/26	50	9.9	11.1	16.6	25
Merchant Valley	8200	3/26	29	7.4	7.4	11.1	30

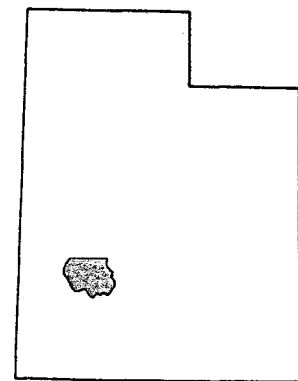
(a) Observed flow at Rockyford Dam, plus change in storage in Rockyford reservoir. (b) Average for period of record. (c) Average for 15-yr. period partly estimated. (d) Data measured daily, figured from date of last Merchant Valley snow survey.

BEAVER RIVER WATERSHEDS



LEGEND

- Watershed Boundary
- Soil Conservation District Bdry.
- County Boundary
- ▲ Forecast Point
- Snow Course



WATERSHED LOCATION

Beaver, Utah
March 29, 1961

Donald C. Norseth
Distribution Engineer
Office of State Engineer
State Capitol
Salt Lake City, Utah

Refer: Award #27, Beaver River Decree

Dear Mr. Norseth:

As president of the South Field Ditch Company, I have been instructed by the board of directors to request the State Engineers Office to order Mr. Arnold J. Low, of Beaver, Utah, to install a screw type headgate and measuring device so the water commissioner can deliver to Mr. Low his decreed amount of water. Mr. Low is the owner of award #27 as described in the Beaver River Decree. His water is diverted into our ditch and conveyed to his field and there re-diverted. We feel that an order from your office to Mr. Low will be more effective, as past requests to Mr. Low have been ignored.

Thank you.

very truly yours

Albert T. Smith, Pres.
South Field Ditch Co.



cc: Earl Staker
Area Engineer
Cedar City, Utah

Lee Strong
Water Commissioner
Beaver, Utah



AMERICAN SURETY COMPANY OF NEW YORK



NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE OR ACCOUNT

Tr.2 S. G. Hickman

NAME OF LOCAL OR OUTSIDE BROKER

NAME AND ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL

CLOYCE L. STRONG
P. O. Box 165
Beaver, Utah

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STATE OF UTAH (STATE ENGINEER)
Water Commissioner
Beaver River Dist. System &
Milford Area of Escalante Valley Dist.
System

CLASS	STATE	LIABILITY
8	40	107
		43
		4,000.00

REMARKS

BOND NUMBER

34-600-326

AGENT'S CODE

34-0091

B. O. CODE

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EXPIRATION DATE

3-1-62

EFFECTIVE DATE

3-1-61

LINE OF BUSINESS

Official

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PREMIUM

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ATTEST:

By

M. Wilkerson

RESIDENT ASSISTANT SECRETARY

At Salt Lake City, Utah

M. E. Merwin

President.

AMERICAN SURETY COMPANY OF NEW YORK



Sent 3-27-61 *ry*

CERTIFICATE CONTINUING BOND NUMBER 34-600-326

ON BEHALF OF	CONTINUED TO
CLOYCE L. STRONG	3-1-62
P. O. Box 165	FROM
Beaver, Utah	3-1-61
IN FAVOR OF	
STATE OF UTAH (STATE ENGINEER)	
Water Commissioner	
Beaver River Dist. System &	
Milford Area of Escalante Valley	Dist.
System	AMOUNT OF PREMIUM
AMOUNT OF THE BOND \$4,000.00	\$10.00

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FORM A-250C

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STATE OF UTAH

OFFICE OF

STATE ENGINEER



This is to Certify that by virtue of authority vested in me as State Engineer under Section 73-5-1, Utah Code Annotated, 1953, I hereby appoint - - - - - GLOYCE LELAND STRONG - - - of - - - Beaver, Utah - - - to the position of

WATER COMMISSIONER

to distribute the waters of the

- - - BEAVER RIVER DISTRIBUTION - - - system, beginning March 1, 1961 and ending

- - - - - March 1, 1962.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have herunto set my hand and affixed my official seal

this - - - Twenty-seventh - - - day of April, A. D. 1960.

Hubert C. Lambert, Deputy State Engineer

March 27, 1961

Mr. Cloyce Leland Strong
Water Commissioner
Beaver River Distribution
Beaver, Utah

Dear Sir:

RE: BEAVER RIVER
DISTRIBUTION

Transmitted to you, herewith, is your
Certificate of Appointment as Water Commissioner
for the irrigation season of 1960.

Yours very truly

Hubert C. Lambert
DEPUTY STATE ENGINEER

DCN/vg

Enc: Certificate

BEAVER CITY BRANCH

OF MILFORD STATE BANK

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S. G. HICKMAN, MANAGER

BEAVER, UTAH

March 23, 1961

*Mr. T. Vinton Smith
Engineering Dept.
State of Utah,
Salt Lake City, Utah*

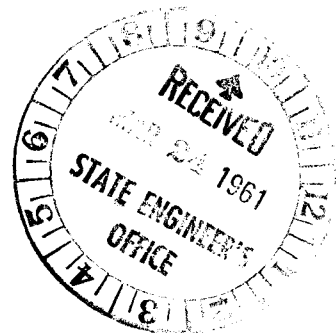
Dear Mr. Smith:

*Enclosed is renewal certificate on Mr. Cloyce L. Strong,
Bond No. 34-600-326, dated March 1, 1961 for a one year period.*

Certificate has been pro-erly signed by Mr. Strong.

Yours very truly,

Agent.



Beaver, Utah
March 14, 1961

State Engineer's Office
c/o Donald C. Norseth
Salt Lake City, Utah

Dear Mr. Norseth:

You requested that I send the names of the water users who are involved in putting in weirs in the Blueberry Corral Slough. These are the names of the users involved:

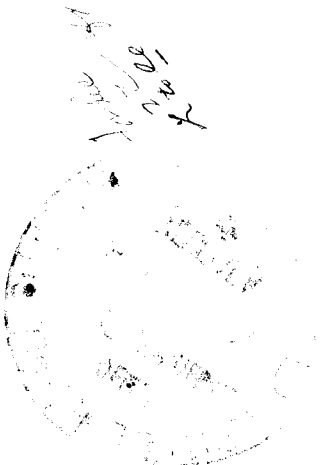
Wesley W. Turner
Jeddy Atkin estate
Alvin Yardley
C. Edwin Price
James Riley
Albert W. Smith
J. Frank Smith

William Yardley
Wallace D. Yardley
Roy Yardley
S. Albert Smith
Arthur Blackner
Glen Blackner
Walter Blackner.

We would appreciate some action on this as soon as possible.

Respectfully yours,

Wallace D. Yardley
Wallace D. Yardley



Beaver, Utah
February 7, 1961

The State Engineer

Dear Sir:

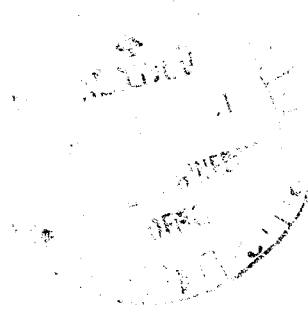
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We, the Water Users Committee and the Water Commissioner ask that you have the water of the Blueberry Corral Slough distributed according to the decree; that weirs and head-gates and dividers be installed by the users of this water; and that this water be apportioned and distributed by the Beaver River Water Commissioner under your jurisdiction so that future trouble may be avoided, and that each member may get his rightful share; that the installations be done under the direction of the Water Commissioner, and that the water users get them installed before the water season begins.

For the last two years we have not been able to divide the water adequately because we have not had any facilities.

The Water Users Committee.

*Lee Strong
Wallace Yardley
Stanley McKnight
Amasa Barton
Wm. H. Wood
John A. White*



March 20, 1961

Mr. Cloyce Leland Strong
P. O. Box 165
Beaver, Utah

Dear Lee:

Re: Beaver River Distribution System

Enclosed, a thermo-fax copy of two letters, which I believe you are familiar with. Will you please include these in your inventory of headgates and measuring devices needed and point out the award in the Beaver River Decree of each, that we might make an assessment if they are not on the assessment rolls.

Will await further action on this matter, until I hear from you.

Very truly yours,

Donald C. Norseth,
Distribution Engineer

DCN:ek

Enclosures



UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

Branch of Surface Water
463 Federal Building
Salt Lake City 1, Utah

February 20, 1961

Mr. Wallace B. Bentley, Chairman
Beaver River Water Users
Beaver, Utah

Dear Mr. Bentley:

Your letter of February 15 addressed to Wilson McCuskie and his reply of February 17 have been referred to this office.

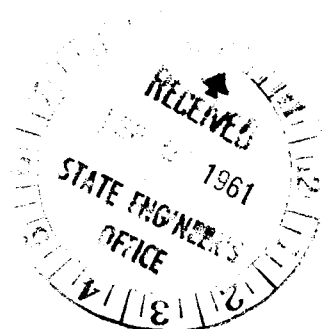
Mr. McCuskie has properly outlined some of the difficulties in determining loss in the lower Schneide penstock. Another phase of this problem which should also be considered is the fact that loss in the pipeline may not affect other rights to water from the Beaver River. In other words, if leakage from the conduit returns directly to the river channel, this would not affect irrigation rights but only the amount of water to be used for the development of power.

The Office of the Utah State Engineer is responsible for the distribution of water, the determination of water rights, and evaluation as to the proper use of water under existing rights. Since this is not a function of the Federal government, but of the State administration, it is suggested that this problem be discussed with the Office of the Utah State Engineer.

Very truly yours,

M. T. Wilson
District Engineer

cc: Utah State Engineer
Wilson McCuskie, St. George, Utah



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